GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVATION
LOK SABHA

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CONSTRUCTION OF LIG FLATS
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Delhi Development Authority(DDA)has awarded turnkey projects to big construction firms to build thousands of LIG flats;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the DDA Builders Association has come out witha booklet alleging that Rs.300 crore of public money is being siphoned off by DDA officials and the big construction companies;

(d) if so, whether a vigilance inquiry has been ordered into the matter;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) the time by which the report of the vigilance inquiry is likely to be received?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT & POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI PON RADHAKIRISHNAN)

(a)&(b): Yes, Sir. The Delhi Development Authority have awarded the Lower Income Group (LIG) Housing Projects to the following pre-qualified big construction firms on turnkey basis:

Name of the Scheme	Agency
Construction of 1320 LIG Houses at Bakkarwala	M/s Ahuluwalia Contract (India) Ltd.

Name of the Scheme	Agency
Construction of 900 LIG Houses at Bakkarwala	M/s Gammon India Ltd.
Construction of 900 LIG Houses at Bakkarwala	M/s Unity Infra Project Ltd.
Construction of 1380 LIG Houses at Bakkarwala	M/s Larson & Tubro Ltd.
Construction of 1000 LIG Houses at Bakkarwala	M/s Unity Infra Project Ltd.
Construction of 756 LIG	M/s V.R.M. (india)

Houses at Sector 14, Dwarka		
Construction of Houses at Sector 18, Rohini	630 LIG	M/s Unitech Ltd.
Construction of Houses at Narela	2420 LIG	M/s Unity Infra Project Ltd.
Construction of at Vasant Kunj	795 Houses	M/s Ahuluwalia contract (India) Ltd.

(c): Yes, Sir.

(d)to(f): Vigilance Department of D D A has taken up investigation on the allegations made b y Contractors` Association regarding turnkey projects. The vigilance inquiry is likely to be completed in three months time.